

PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 09955.0025-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Fredéric SGIER et al.) Group Art Unit: 3733
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Application No.: 10/766,911) Examiner: Shaffer, Richard R.
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Filed: January 30, 2004) Confirmation No.: 4613
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For: **VERTEBRAL ARTHRODESIS**)
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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Response to Office Action

In response to the Office Action dated November 21, 2007, the period for reply having been extended by three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are included in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.